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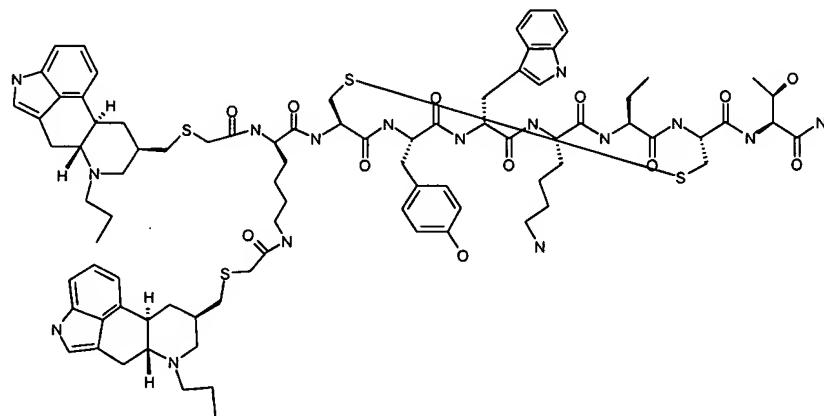
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed December 27, 2007 (the “instant Action”). The period for response has been extended one (1) month so as to expire on February 27, 2008, pursuant to Applicants’ Petition for Extension of Time filed concurrently with this paper.

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the instant Action, Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, **Dop2-DLys(Dop2)-cyclo[Cys-Tyr-DTrp-Lys-Abu-Cys]-Thr-NH₂**, i.e.,



which is one of the Groups X-DCLXXXIII, “each group drawn to a single peptide conjugate [of Claim 12], too numerous to recite individually”. See page 2 of the instant Action.